

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 9698

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served June 29, 2006

Application of WORLDTRANSIT, LLC, to)	Case No. AP-2006-103
Acquire Certificate No. 636 from)	
EARL GREGORY BARNES, trading as)	
WORLDTRANSIT)	

By application accepted for filing June 9, 2006, WorldTransit, LLC, a District of Columbia entity, seeks Commission approval to acquire Certificate No. 636 from Earl Gregory Barnes, trading as WorldTransit. Barnes has agreed to transfer Certificate No. 636 and other assets in exchange for a controlling interest in applicant, a new carrier. Applicant will be directed to file the original Certificate of Authority No. 636.

Under Article XI, Section 11(a) of the Compact, a person may not transfer a certificate of authority unless the Commission approves the transfer as consistent with the public interest. The public interest analysis focuses on the acquiring party's fitness.¹

Applicant proposes commencing operations with one van. Applicant proposes operating under a tariff containing mileage and/or hourly based rates.

This proceeding is hereby initiated to determine whether applicant is fit.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than July 13, 2006, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.

2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than July 27, 2006, an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.

3. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than July 27, 2006, the original copy of Certificate of Authority No. 636.

¹ In re Quality Med. Supplies LLC, t/a F & J Healthcare Servs., & Tingem Health Care Servs. Inc., No. AP-04-25, Order No. 8033 (May 27, 2004).

4. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing is July 27, 2006, and that copies must be served on applicant's representative, Earl G. Barnes, at 1422 Webster Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20011.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'W. S. Morrow, Jr.', written in a cursive style.

William S. Morrow, Jr.
Executive Director